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## **AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER**

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Signed by: David B. Patchett

Attached is an amendment in the above-identified application. The fee for this amendment is computed as follows:

Claims As Amended							
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4) Highest No. Previously Paid For		(5)	(6)	(7)
100	Claims Remaining After Amendment	4, 13, 57			Present Extra	Rate	Additional Fee
Total Claims	12	Minus	**	34	0	x \$18.00	\$0.00
Independent Claims	1	Minus	***	4	0	x \$84.00	\$0.00
Additional fee for filing one or more multiple dependent claims, if no such fee has been previously paid \$280.00							\$0.00
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Please charge to Deposit Account 13-3723 any fees under 37 CFR §§ 1.16 and 1.17 which may be required during the entire pendency of this application. This authorization includes the fee for any extension of time under 37 CFR § 1.136(a) that may be necessary. To the extent any such extension should become necessary, it is hereby requested. One copy of this sheet marked duplicate is also enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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## **RESPONSE**

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David Rothly

Dear Sir:

This is in response to the outstanding Office Action, mailed May 29, 2003, in the above-identified application. This Amendment is believed to be timely submitted. It is believed that no fee is due; however, in the event a fee is required, please charge the fee to Deposit Account No. 13-3723.